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Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## **RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated July 8, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in light of the following amendments and remarks:

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

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